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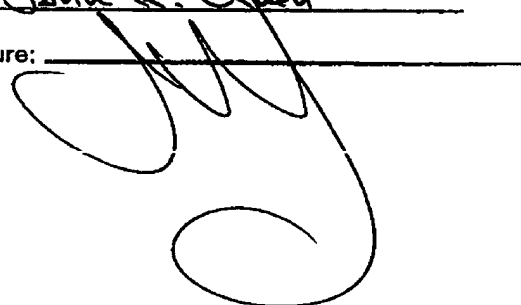
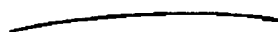
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In re the Application of: :
HAMBLEY, DAVID M. and :
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Serial No.: 09/303,306 : Group Art Unit: 1724
Filed: April 30, 1999 :
For: FILTER UNDERDRAIN SYSTEM :
FOR BACKWASH FLOW AND METHOD :
FOR MEASURING SAME :

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Transmitted herewith is a response to Examiner's action
dated December 1, 2004.

- ☒ Small entity status of this application under 37
C.F.R.1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified
statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status
under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

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Applicant requests that the above-identified application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 8 of this paper and include replacement sheets.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.